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5 June 1968

Colonel Dennis P. McAuliffe
Executive Officer to the Chairman,
Joint Chiefs of Staff
Department of Defense

Dear Colonel McAuliffe:

The attached is a draft CIA assessment of North Vietnamese ability to withstand manpower attrition. The White House (Mr. Rostow) has requested that the report be transmitted with a JCS comment. Our deadline is 5 June. We would appreciate your comments by the close of business, tomorrow, 4 June. The JCS comment will be passed to the White House as an attachment to our report.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

Acting Director
Economic Research

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